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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08A.

U.S. Patent Nos. 5,892,535, 5,802,283, and 6,044,396 have been cited in the International Search Report for PCT/US02/15482, which is related to the instant case. A copy of the International Search Report is also enclosed. U.S. Patent Nos. 4,724,491 and 5,029,014 are also being submitted.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner return a copy of the enclosed Form PTO/SB/O8A upon consideration of the above referenced information.

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Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of this application is respectfully requested. In the event that there are any questions, or should additional information be required, please do not hesitate to contact applicant's attorney at the number listed below.

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